Docket No. LU 6036

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Roland KRATZER, et al.

Serial No.: 10/521,073 Group Art Unit: 1755

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Title: PREPARATION OF SUPPORTED CATALYST SYSTEMS

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.113

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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This is in response to the Office Action bearing a mailing date of February 5, 2007. The three-month shortened statutory period to respond is set to expire on May 5, 2007. A three-month extension of time accompanies this response. As such, this response is timely filled.

In view of the following amendment and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejection and allow all claims pending in this application.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as shown in ATTACHMENT A without any prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter expressed therein.